

### PATENT APPLICATION

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For:

MEDIUM CONTAINING PRINTER MAINTENANCE GUIDE PROGRAM FOR AUTOMATIC DISPLAY ON A COMPUTER IN RESPONSE TO DETECTING A

CHANGE IN THE PRINTER STATUS

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

## MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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